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CIRCULATING THROUGHOUT THE VAST AGRICULTURAL AREA OF PALM BEACH COUNTY



Cub Scouts Are Given Awards

Bill Howard acted as Cub Master in the absence of Bill Moss, at the December Pack night of the Cub Scouts in Pahokee. The meeting was opened by prayer and followed by the flag ceremony conducted by Den 3. Mr. Howard welcomed the members and visitors and announced that the theme for December is "Old Fashioned Christmas".

C. R. Wetherington gave the treasurer report. A "Dener" from each pack led the group in the song "Cubs are Fair".

Matt Kramer was awarded the lions badge and promoted to the Weblo den.

Benji Magriff was awarded the silver arrow. Den 4 decorated the Christmas tree with things they had made during December. Den 1 and 2 presented Christmas skits after which Den awards went to Den 1 for attendance and conduct. Den 2 received the honor plaque. The Weblos presented a skit and gave bags of candy to everyone present. The meeting was closed with the song "Good night Cub Scouts." The next pack night will be held January 28 at 7:30 p. m. and the theme will be "Family Alert".

Cliff Stuart Wins Citation From Oliver Company

C. L. Stuart, owner of Stuart's Farm Service, Oliver farm and industrial equipment dealer at Canal Point, was presented with an "Ollie" award for outstanding sales achievement in 1963, by Samuel W. White, Jr., president of Oliver, at the farm and industrial equipment firm's "More From the Growing O" show at the Ellis Auditorium in Memphis, December 12-13.

The "Ollie", a handsome engraved statuette, is Oliver's equivalent to the "Oscar" and "Emmy" of the movie and TV industries. Stuart's dealership received the award for being the fastest growing Oliver dealership in the Southeast.

More than 200 people — Oliver dealer personnel and their wives from throughout the South — attended the two-day dealer preview of Oliver's new farm and industrial equipment for 1964. Oliver, president White and a 16-man team of top officials from the company's Chicago headquarters, plants and branches art touring eight principal agricultural and industrial centers across the nation in a 34-day period to bring the array of new products to its entire dealer organization.

Mrs. Dragon's Mother Passes In Carolina

Word was received here Tuesday, December 10, of the death of the mother of Mrs. Nola Dragon, Mrs. Maggie Mcgee, of Rural Hall, N. C. Mrs. McGee was 80 years old and is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Dragon of Pahokee and Mrs. Magdaline Hall of Winston Salem, N. C., three brothers Odell, R. M. and Rubin Warren all of Rural Hall. Mrs. Dragon wishes to express her thanks to the many friends who sent cards to her mother and to her during Mrs. McGee's illness and death.

Mrs. Billie Kolstad Head Elks Ladies

The Ladies of Pahokee Elks held their annual installation dinner in the dining room of the Elks Club recently at which time Mrs. Billie Kolstad was installed as president. James Vann, past exalted ruler of Pahokee BPOE Lodge 1638, was installing officer. Others installed were Mrs. Joan Tucker, vice president; Mrs. Marie Upthegrove, treasurer; Mrs. Mildred Lavender, secretary and Mrs. Sarah Vann parliamentarian.

Woman's Club Has Husbands Guests

A Christmas Dinner with husbands as guests was the order of the day for members of the Pahokee Womans Club. Mrs. C. M. Todd, President, presided. The invocation was given by Mac Todd. Mrs. Glenn Powell and Mrs. Louis Davis carried out the Christmas theme with a large Christmas tree and other Christmas decorations. Gifts were brought by members, for the Boys' School in Okeechobee and the Veterans Hospital in Coral Gables and placed under the tree.

Mrs. Leon Spooner was appointed E. T. Seal chairman. She will be in charge of a committee to sell T. S. Seals. It was announced that the "Coffee Break" will not be held in January but will resume on the first Wednesday in February at the home of Mrs. Lee Wrotten.

Mrs. M. P. Stanley was in charge of the program, she read two poems entitled "Christmas Eve" and "Day After Christmas". Mrs. R. F. Hurt read the Christmas Story while Mrs. Stanley furnished background music on the piano. The members and their guests participated in carol singing. Guests were Miss Dottie Lair, R. F. Hurt, Mac Todd, Wiley Tills, Horace Unwin, Mrs. Adaline Wrotten and Mrs. Charles Lewis.

Local PTA Enjoys Christmas Party

The Canal Point P. T. A. met Monday night in the school auditorium with W. E. Blackwell president presiding. The devotional was given by Rev. Lawrence Stew-

art. Mrs. Charlotte Walston's fifth grade won the "room count". Mrs. Ruth Snider was awarded a going-away gift by Mr. Blackwell. Mrs. Snider has been Music director for the school for several years.

The program depicting the birth of Christ by use of film strips was presented by Mrs. Snider and carols were sung by the entire school. The closing carol was sung with the audience participating.

Unique Exhibit Planned World's Fair New York

Completion of plans for one of the most unique exhibits of the New York World's Fair was announced last week by the Palm Beach County World's Fair Authority.

In a joint statement, County Commission Chairman E. F. Van Kessel, chairman of the Authority, and Karlton Wulf, Authority Finance chairman and Vice President of the Bank of Palm Beach and Trust Co., for the first time revealed details of the county's combined "space machine" and automated "push button" tourist guide which will feature the county's exhibit in the Florida Building of the New York World's Fair, opening next April.

Describing the county exhibit as "one which will stand alone in its uniqueness and effectiveness," Van Kessel said that an expected 18 million visitors annually to the Florida Building at the Fair will have an opportunity to "see and use" the space machine and the tourist guide over the two year tenure of the Fair.

The only moving exhibit planned for the Florida Building, Palm Beach County's "Ride in Orbit" show will provide visitors a ride in sound-wired plastic capsules around a huge, tilted bowl. While in "orbit", a series of large colored transparencies will be revealed one at a time through directional polaroid glass. A special sound tape will be used to describe to the "captive viewer" in each capsule the scene being flashed on the opposite side of the big bowl as the capsules rotate.

Eastern Star Takes In A New Member

The Pahokee Chapter 184 of the order of the Eastern Star members initiated Mrs. Ray Ursry into the order Thursday night with Mrs. Adaline Wrotten, worthy matron and Harlan Sears, worthy patron, presiding. Following the business session there was a gift exchange and Christmas refreshments were served. Gifts were brought for the residents of the Masonic home in Tampa.

Funeral Services For Ray Gant

Funeral services will be held today at the First Baptist church in Moore Haven for Ray D. Gant, 42, who died as a result of injuries received in an auto accident Tuesday night. Mr. Gant was the U. S. Department of Agriculture representative with offices just recently moved into the new agricultural center at Moore Haven. Survivors include his widow, Mrs. Jean Gant; two daughters, Garnett and Peggy, all of Moore Haven; three brothers, Broadus of Moore Haven, Wilson of Miami, and Curran, and a sister, Mrs. Mary Roberts of Fort Lauderdale.

Girl Scouts Award Given To Several

Awards earned by members of the Pahokee Girl Scout Troop 247 are as follows, Advancement certificates to second class rank and four merit badges each to Deborah Sullivan, Arista Belk, Marsha Pennington, Gretchen King, and Leigh Cross.

Also receiving merit badges were Karen Johnson, Linda Justice, Nancy Watson and Carol Angel. The awards were presented by Mrs. Ann Sullivan and Mrs. Laurie Justice, troop leaders, at the Court of Awards held at the Elks Club recently. The next meeting will be held in the scout room of the First Methodist church in Pahokee on January 3.

Miss Mattie Bain of Coats, N. C., is the houseguest of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Rardin for the Christmas holidays. Mrs. Rardin's mother, Mrs. W. O. Strickland of Glennville, Ga., is expected to arrive Sunday for a holiday visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Lon Wilson plan to leave Friday for a Christmas visit with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. B. Elliott, Jr. and children in Tallahassee.

Lampi Is Honored By Pahokee Lions

Robert O. Lampi, director of the Pahokee High School Band since 1940, was honored Tuesday by the Pahokee Lions club when that organization marked his 23 years of service with an "Appreciation Day." Pahokee Mayor Duncan Padgett was the originator of the idea that culminated in an unusual program with many visitors present to pay homage to Mr. Lampi.

Long-time Resident Paul Rardin was the invited speaker for the occasion and he traced the band's history from its inception until this fall when the musical group again won superior ratings in contests. First person introduced by Mr. Rardin was Mrs. Mary Lampi of Eagle Lake, Michigan, mother of the band director, Rardin also introduced Mrs. Ilmae Lampi, wife of Mr. Lampi.

Jimmy Vann of the Lions club introduced the visitors and the mayor introduced folks at the head table. The hall was delightfully decorated and the mayor gave credit for that to Mrs. Lloyd Hundley.

It was pointed out by the speaker that Mr. Lampi came to Pahokee from Newport, Florida, in 1940 and has successfully directed the PHS band since that date. He has been an ardent civic worker, a member of the Pahokee Rotary club, pianist for the Elks Lodge for 16 years and has received a great deal of national publicity brought about by the continued success of his direction of the PHS musical group.

The Lampis have two children, Sandra and Buddy who are students at the University of Miami where they are making their mark in displaying their musical talents.

It was mentioned in passing by the speaker that Mr. Lampi's starting salary 23 years ago was \$90 per month.

Mr. and Mrs. Strayer Running Stand And Snack Shop

Mr. and Mrs. Woody Strayer are the new owners and operators of the fruit stand and snack shop formerly operated by Philo Williamson north of Canal Point. The stand is located in the McCall building.

The Strayers are planning a snack bar to lend attractiveness to the location. They plan to ship fruit from Bowers Grove at Indianapolis. They extend a cordial invitation to Glades folks to stop by and see what they have to offer in the way of ripe fruit.



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Doyle Conner Will Seek Reelection Ag Commissioner

TALLAHASSEE — Florida Commissioner of Agriculture Doyle Conner today announces that he would be a candidate for re-election in 1964. He cited his record in office as his platform.

Conner pointed out there had been significant developments in the fields of agriculture and consumer protection during his first three years in office, and that the Department of Agriculture had been modernized to reduce costs of operation.

"Since 1960, the Department has carried on successful eradication programs against screw-worms and the Mediterranean fruit fly," Conner said. "We have also initiated programs to combat hog cholera, Mexican fruit flies and fire ants."

Conner pointed out that he had also led a successful fight for equitable taxation of Florida farmland, and had created a marketing division within the Department to provide assistance to growers in marketing their products.

"Although there has been little publicity on our services to the consumer, we have strengthened and consolidated a number of major or inspection services," he said.

"By tightening and strictly enforcing regulations we have been able to halt the sale of unsafe foods, curtail the use of unsafe pesticides and improve standards in all other areas under our jurisdiction," Conner stated.

A veteran office holder, Conner was first elected to the Florida House of Representatives at the age of 21, while a student at the University of Florida. He served five terms, and was elected Speaker of the House in 1955.

He was named one of the Ten Outstanding Young Men in the Nation in 1960 by the U. S. Junior Chamber of Commerce, and served as both state and national president of Future Farmers of America when in school.



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WHEREAS, the Belle Glade High School Fighting Ram Team has won this aforesaid Championship two years in succession; and

WHEREAS, this Football Team of Belle Glade High School has played twenty-three consecutive games without defeat; and

WHEREAS, the Belle Glade High School Football Team has brought to the City of Belle Glade and its citizenry wide acclaim;

BE IT RESOLVED that the Rotary Club of Belle Glade hereby commends this Belle Glade Fighting Ram Football Team along with Coach Burke and his fine staff for their outstanding sportsmanship, conduct, and team effort that has resulted in the aforementioned accomplishments; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Belle Glade Football Team, through their athletic abilities, has done much to bring an improved image of Belle Glade to the recognition of the State of Florida in the area of high school athletics.

Herbert L. Chapman, Jr.,
President Belle Glade
Rotary Club
J. R. Nutt,
Secretary Belle Glade
Rotary Club.

December 6, 1963.

March Of Dimes Is Headed By Dr V. D. Stone

Acceptance by a number of community leaders of key assignments in the January March of Dimes was announced this week by Dr. V. D. Stone, chairman of the Palm Beach County Chapter, The National Foundation.

Many of the volunteer leaders, Dr. Stone said, are members of the chapter's board of directors who are giving stepped up attention to the coming campaign.

The directors group includes Mrs. Jane B. Evans, Belle Glade, whose top responsibility will be coordination of the direct mail appeal throughout the Glades section.

The mailers, Mrs. Evans said, will be one of the principal fund raising efforts this year. Other activities will include the annual Mothers March the last week in January and distribution of coin collectors throughout the county.

Funds raised during the March of Dimes will be used to help fight birth defects and arthritis and to continue the care of long term polio patients.

Mrs. Evans noted that great strides have already been made in the five years since the March of Dimes first directed its attention against two major health problems, following the victory over polio.

The March of Dimes operation more than 70 treatment centers for care and study of birth defects and for aid of arthritis victims. In addition, \$8 million in March of Dimes grants now support scientific research programs aimed at control of birth defects and arthritis.

"The American people," Mrs. Evans said, "have come to expect success from the March of Dimes. Their continued support this January will make possible even greater victories over disease and disability."

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The first Americans permitted to explore for plants in Soviet Russia since 1929 have returned recently with propagation stocks of many fruits potentially valuable to U. S. Agriculture.

The U. S. Department of Agriculture reports our American team found a green seedless grape variety, recently developed by the Russians, that produces table fruit much larger and with crispier flesh than anything now grown in this country.

The USDA men were told Russia has 3 million acres in grape cultivation compared with only one-sixth of that area in our major producing states, California and Arizona.

Incidentally, the Russians said they hope to encourage consumption of more wine and less vodka. Maybe they'll get someone with that idea. But as I recall it, the much publicized campaign of several years ago to persuade the French people to drink more milk and less wine was something of a bust.

According to trade reports, the new concentrate is being distributed on a national basis.

A recent editorial in Produce News urges the potato industry to wake up and take action to suppress unfair advertising by a big food manufacturer.

It appears that a certain brand of noodles is being touted on TV with statements that potatoes are habit-forming. Get rid of the potato habit, the audience is told, and start eating noodles.

That reminds me of the advertising slogan of some years ago that advised listeners to "Reach for a Lucky instead of a sweet." It had the candy industry up in arms and eventually that particular slogan was abandoned.

Speaking of sweets, an unusual situation has developed in sugar which could cause a tight situation in U. S. supplies next year.

We've severed diplomatic relations with the Dominican Republic which has been supplying us with about a million tons of sugar a year. But we can't import from that source so long as we are on the outs with the Dominicans. In the meantime, the world supply is still a couple of million tons less than demand.

It looks like sugar will be making the news again in 1964.

The U. S. Chamber of Commerce questions the desirability of an increasing population in this action.

Many economists and businessmen think it's O. K., the Chamber notes—more people mean larger markets and more business. "It may also mean, however, more unproductive people," the Chamber points out, and larger relief rolls, crowded hospitals and institutions, more unemployment, and crime, etc.

Its conclusion: Unless we are ready to devote more of our resources to meet increasing social and economic needs, "population increases may not be beneficial."



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Maude-Shirley Circle Meeting

The Maude-Shirley Auxiliary of the Canal Point First Missionary Church met at the home of Mrs. Andrew Culberson, with Mrs. Janice Higgins, president in charge of the program "The Great Outsider". A reading was given by Mrs. Mamie Hall entitled "Whose Christmas?" The next meeting will be held in January at the home of Mrs. Cecil Hall.

CLASSIFIED ADS PAY BIG DIVIDENDS

Calling Shower For Margie Hunt

The home of Mrs. Gertrude Williams was the scene of a calling shower honoring Miss Margie Hunt, bride-elect of Louis W. Friedheim. Mrs. Peter Newton was cohostess. In the receiving line with Miss Hunt was her mother, Mrs. Nellie Hunt, Mrs. J. A. Friedheim and Mrs. Williams. The couple will wed at St. Phillips Catholic Church, Belle Glade, on December 26.

Delegates Return From Sebring Meet

Belle Glade, delegates returned home this week from a three-day religious gathering of Jehovah's Witnesses held in Sebring, Florida. The assembly was sponsored by the Watchtower Bible and Tract Society of New York and represented the winter gathering of 17 congregations in Central Florida comprising Florida Circuit No. 8.

The Witnesses provided for their requirements by means of 21 service departments headed by volunteer workers.

Friday's activities consisted of a Model Ministry School and Service Meeting, at which Bible talks were given and instructive counsel received from Joseph Sala, Minister, Lecturer and Traveling Supervisor for the Watchtower Bible and Tract Society. Delegates from Belle Glade participated in the service meeting.

Boynton Home Is Scene Of Shower

The home of Mrs. Joe Tom Boynton was the scene of a recent bridal shower in compliment to Miss Linda Sellers bride-elect of William Rice. Receiving guests with Miss Sellers and Mrs. Boynton were Mrs. T. L. Sellers and Mrs. William Hennay, sister of Miss Sellers.

The table was appointed with pink sweetheart roses and white tapers in silver candelabra. Guests with Mrs. Boynton were Mrs. H. A. Beeks, Mrs. J. R. Faulk, Mrs. Rupert Mock, Mrs. H. B. Elarbee, Mrs. Sam McKinstry, Jr., and Mrs. Gertrude Williams.

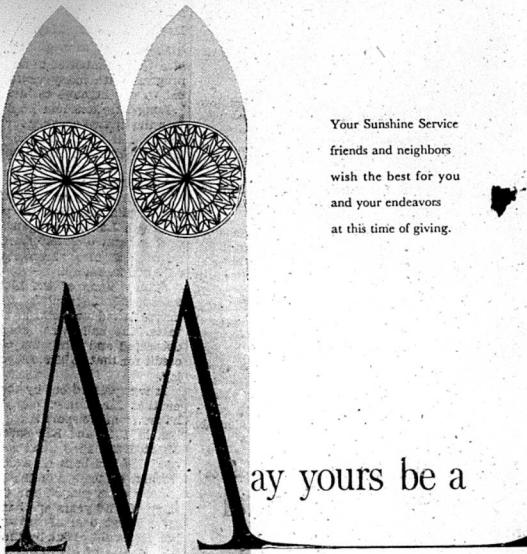


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Haydon Burns For Florida Governor

Haydon Burns, a candidate for governor, a native of Louisville, Kentucky, born March 17, 1912, has lived in Jacksonville since early childhood. Educated in Duval County public school system, he later attended Babson College at Babson Park, Massachusetts. He is a member of the University of Florida Alumni Association, and an Honorary Member of Florida Chapter of Phi Sigma Kappa, Sigma Phi Epsilon, and Alpha Kappa Psi.

A public relations and business consultant for many years, Burns first entered politics in 1949, when he was elected overwhelmingly Mayor of Jacksonville. Re-elected four times since as Mayor-Commissioner, he has always achieved first primary victories and has every time polled more votes than any other candidate on the entire ballot. He is the first Mayor of Jacksonville to have been elected for five consecutive terms to that office.

During his administration, the City of Jacksonville has enjoyed the greatest period of progress in its history. The "Jacksonville Story" has become known throughout the United States and many groups of community and political leaders from other cities, both in Florida and from other states visit Jacksonville frequently to see Jacksonville's remarkable re-development program at first hand and to learn how it has been accomplished. In all things, Burns has always worked closely with other public officials, chamber of commerce groups, and private enterprise, and has provided drive and leadership for the community in bringing about some \$250,000,000 in redevelopment and renewal, all of which has been accomplished through a very close cooperative effort by private enterprise and local governmental agencies without any Federal funds.

Christian Science Group Of Canal Point

The virgin birth of Christ Jesus will be explained in this Sunday's Bible Lesson at all Christian Science churches.

Readings from the Bible will include the angel's message to Mary: "The Holy Ghost shall come upon thee, and the power of the Highest shall overshadow thee: therefore also that holy thing which shall be born of thee shall be called the Son of God" (Luke 1:35).

From the Christian Science textbook, these lines will be read: "The illumination of Mary's spiritual sense put to silence material law and its order of generation, and brought forth her child by the revelation of Truth, demonstrating God as the Father of men" (Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures by Mary Baker Eddy, p. 29).

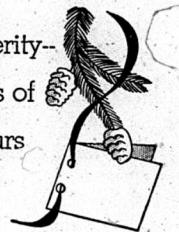
The Lesson-Sermon is entitled: "Is the Universe, Including Man, Evolved by Atomic Force?"

BIRTHDAY PARTY

Mrs. Robert Myer entertained with a birthday party honoring her son, Robert, Jr., on his first birthday, Thursday at the home of her mother, Mrs. J. V. Thomas in Pahokee.



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PERSONAL NEWS NOTES

Dr. Sasser Watson was the recent guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Watson in Pahokee.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Humphries had as their guests their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Sanders of Miami, over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Sheppard and children of Lake Park are the guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Crady.

Mrs. Emma Wheeler underwent surgery recently and is a patient in a Lakeland hospital.

Bill Moss is a patient at Good Samaritan Hospital in West Palm Beach.

Charles Jernigan of Pahokee is a patient at Everglades Memorial Hospital.

Mrs. Wiley Tillis was the recent guest of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Lawrence Jaudon in Wauchula.

Mr. and Mrs. John Rogers of Miami will be the guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Rogers over the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Wroten and children will be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Haywood Baxter in Immokalee, Sunday.

Mrs. Adaline Wroten will leave Saturday by bus to spend the Christmas holidays with her sister, Mrs. Mae Bailey and her niece Mrs. Mae Inman of Jacksonville. Mrs. Nellie Rutter returned home Saturday after visiting several weeks with friends in Jacksonville.

Bethlehem Basilica Among Oldest Churches

The Basilica of the Nativity at Bethlehem, constructed more than 1,620 years ago, is one of the oldest churches in Christendom.

As it stands today it represents the original building as erected by Emperor Constantine and restorations and additions made under Justinian.

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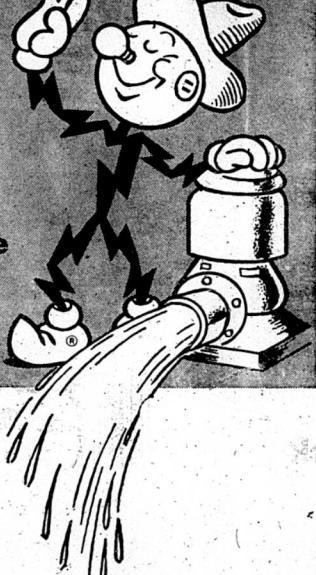
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Ava Cecila Jones Weds Karl Watson

Miss Ava Cecila Jones, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Cecil Jones, became the bride of Karl Hamilton Watson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Watson of Pahokee, in a double-ring ceremony last Sunday at the Clewiston Community Presbyterian Church. Rev. H. H. Ford officiated.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a gown of white satin and lace. The bodice was fashioned with a scalloped neckline appliqued with lace. The long tapered sleeves were also appliqued and sets of lace and seed pearls adorned the skirt which ended in a train falling from a bustle formed of satin bows and embroidery.

Her pearl crown held a finger-

tip veil of imported illusion and the bride carried a cascade centered with a white orchid.

Miss Lynn Vaughn, maid of honor, was gowned in a cranberry satin dress. The sleeveless bodice featured a round neckline which dropped in the back to a flat bow toping a bell shaped skirt. She wore a satin pillbox hat trimmed with streamers and carried a pink rose cascade bouquet.

Other attendants, Mrs. Wendell Jones, sister of the bride and Miss Blanche Pence of Stuart, were dressed in pink satin gowns and hats in the same design as that of the honor attendant. They carried cascade bouquets of red roses.

The flower girl was Leigh Ann Shirley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Shirley of Pahokee and ring-bearer was Harry Vaughn, III. The trainbearer was Michael Vaughn. Best man was the bride-groom's father and ushers were Lee Shirley and Kenneth Jones.

brother of the bride.

Following the ceremony the bride's parents were hosts at a reception at the Clewiston Inn.

Out of town guests were Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Clark and Miss Brenda Clark of Oliver, Ga., Mrs. T. L. Moore, Jr., and Mrs. Lester Riggs of Register, Ga.

Sorority Groups In Regular Meets

The Xi Beta Tau chapter of the Beta Sigma Phi met at the home of Mrs. Lois White, with guest speaker Fr. L. A. Lossing, vicar of the Episcopal Church of the Holy Nativity who was introduced by Mrs. Beth Wilkinson.

Other chapters met as follows: Xi Alpha Mu at the home of Mrs. Valerie Davis. Mrs. Catherine Kennedy led a study on the first two chapters of the book "How to Live 365 Days a Year."

The Beta Omicron met at the home of Mrs. Sheila Ames. Guest speaker was Rev. Robert A. Shelly, pastor of the Canal Point Methodist Church. Rev. Shelley gave a talk on "Communism".

BRIDAL SHOWER

The home of Mrs. Billy Sheffield was the scene of a bridal shower in compliment to Miss Tina Maxwell bride-elect of John Rhymes, Belle Glade. The shower took place Thursday evening. Miss Maxwell will become the bride of Mr. Rhymes, Sunday, December 22, at the First Methodist Church of Pahokee at 4:30 p. m.

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The custom of sending Christmas cards has grown so popular through the years that each year an average of one and one-half billion cards are mailed.

Some historians suggest that the idea of sending Christmas cards originated with school boys away from home, who wrote their letters on fancy paper and in fancy writing.

William Egley sent out a Christmas greeting on a fancy card in 1842 which showed his artistic and engraving talent. The card carried the message, "A Merry Christmas and Happy New Year."

In 1846, Henry Cole, a middle class Englishman, sent Christmas cards which depicted a Victorian family gathered at the festive board and which carried the message "A Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year to You."

The cards brought fame and popularity to Henry Cole, but it was two decades before Christmas cards were sold generally.



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Carolyn L. Jones Weds B. P. Abney

Miss Carolyn Lee Jones, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. Max D. Jones, became the bride of Benjamin Parker Abney, Jr., at the Church of the Nazarene at 8 p.m. Saturday. The bride's father read the vows for the double-ring ceremony. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Abney of Okeechobee. Mrs. Jack Williamson, organist played traditional nuptial music and accompanied Billy Ray Moseley, who sang "Whither Thou Goest" and "Because."

Given in marriage by her uncle, Henry B. Cole of Albany, Ga., the bride wore a street-length dress of white nylon stain brocade. Her shoulder-length veil of French illusion was attached to a silver crown and she carried an old fashioned bouquet of white and red rose buds centered with white orchids. The maid of honor, Miss Grace Jones, sister of the bride, wore an aqua dress, fashioned after that of the bride, and carried a bouquet of pink rosebuds.

Gene Butler served as best man and Paul Blystone and Nelson Villarino were ushers. The reception was held in the community room of the Everglades Savings and Loan Association building. Mrs. Paul Kohr was at the bride's book. Mrs. Earle Pitts, Mrs. Nelson Villarino and Mrs. B. R. Moseley arranged decorations at the wedding and reception. Following a tour of central Florida, Mr. and Mrs. Abney will make their home at Royal Palm Manor, Pahokee.

Jernigan Circle At Gamble Home

The Grace Jernigan circle of the Pahokee First Baptist Church met at the home of Mrs. E. B. Gamble. Mrs. Carolyn Thompson was in charge of the program entitled "M. Therron Rankin Apostle of Advance."

Announcement was made that the circle will send a Christmas gift to the little girl they sponsor in the Baptist Childrens' Home in Lakeland. There were 15 members present and two visitors. The January meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Grace Graham.

Classified Ads

POSITIVELY all want ads or classifieds, as you wish to call them, are payable in advance from this day forward. Don't phone 'em. Write it and drop a dollar bill in the envelope if you want it run once. \$2 if you want it run twice and so on.

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Miss Maxwell Will Wed John C. Rhymes

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Maxwell, approaching the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter Mary Ernestina to John C. Rhymes, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lee L. Rhymes. The marriage will take place Sunday afternoon at 4:30 p.m. at the First Methodist Church of Pahokee. A reception will follow in the fellowship hall. No invitations are being issued but all friends are invited.

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GIFT EXCHANGE

The Garden Club of Canal Point held its annual Christmas party recently at the home of Mrs. Glenn Powell with Mrs. J. H. Miller co-hostess. The party featured a gift exchange and traditional Christmas refreshments.

Mr. and Mrs. David W. Ramsey of Eleuthera will be the guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rupert Mock and Mr. and Mrs. George Ramsey over the Christmas holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Brooks Henderson were called to Tallesboro, Kentucky, Friday, December 13, due to the sudden death of her father, W. H. Ruggles.

Mr. and Mrs. Karl Watson are residing at 142 Barfield Highway after recently returning from a honeymoon trip to Naples and Key West.

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Kepp Party Honors Recent Bride

The home of Mrs. Don Kepp was the recent scene of a bridesmaids luncheon honoring the former Miss Betty Johnson, bride of John Bacon. Those who served as attendants were Misses Sharon Johnson, Connie Bacon, Patsy Keene and Alice Hurt.

The table was laid with a cut-work cloth centerpiece and arranged with yellow roses and yellow tapers. Guest other than the attendants were Mrs. Gene Bacon

Mrs. Bill Johnson, Mrs. Mamie Maxson and Mrs. Robert Shelley, Co-hostess with Mrs. Kepp, was Mrs. Leonard Maxson.

Simonsen-Lair Circle In Meeting

The annual Christmas party was held by members of the Simonsen-Lair circle of the Pahokee WSCS at the home of Mrs. R. J. Schroder, Monday afternoon with chairman Mrs. H. J. Anderson presiding. The devotional featuring the Christmas story was given by Mrs.

M. P. Holman. During the social hour gifts were exchanged and holiday refreshments were served by the hostess and co-hostess, Mrs. J. D. Rogers.

Carols were played as background music. It was announced that the January meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. A. F. Blakey.

Mr. and Mrs. I. M. Mullis have as their guests their daughter Mrs. Don Cole and children of Omaha, Neb. Mr. Cole will be joined by his family later in the week for the Christmas story was given by Mrs.

Taylor Circle At Minister's Home

The Alberta Taylor Circle of the Canal Point Baptist Church met at the home of Mrs. Lawrence Stewart recently with nine members present. The circle will sponsor a six year old boy now living in the Baptist Childrens Home in Lakeland. Plans are being made to purchase a Christmas gift for the child and to send him \$100 a month.

A Christmas party will be held at the home of Mrs. Robert Arriet-

ta on December 20 with husbands attending as guests. Mrs. Guy Thompson will be hostess in January.

HONORED AT PARTY

The faculty of the Pahokee Elementary school were honored with a "Christman coffee" Wednesday at the home of Mrs. H. E. Unwin with Mrs. Wallace Barnes as co-hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Moody and children of Mullins, S. C., are the guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Hurt.

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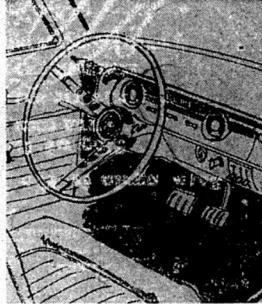
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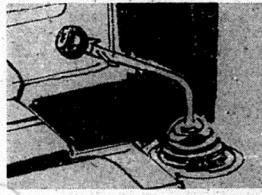
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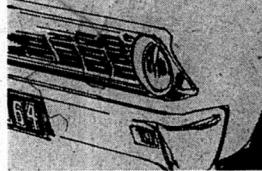
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Florida State Fair Will Open Feb. 4

TAMPA—Grand opening of the 59th edition of the Florida State Fair is scheduled for February 4 in Tampa. The exhibition, largest winter fair in the nation, will run through February 15.

From the dramatic treatment accorded the Women's World exhibit to the thrills of the Nation's Finest Rodeo, from the enlarged International Exposition to the impressive Cultural Center, to the versatility of the Electrical Exposition, there is a newness about the entire 1964 Florida State Fair.

One of the major highlights of the two-week fair scheduled is the annual Gasparilla Day Parade and Invasion when Tampa's businessmen board the world's only registered pirate ship, sail down Tampa Bay and conquer the city.

Among other entertainment features will be Tommy Steinberg's RCA approved rodeo, thrill shows featuring a helicopter trapeze act, automobile races and Royal American Shows on the midway.

In addition to the Gasparilla Day parade, there will be the annual Shrine parade on opening day and the Latin Fiesta illuminated parade on Ybor City Night.

Expositions of agriculture, horticulture, poultry, beef and dairy cattle, swine, honey and rabbits will be shown along with modern living, scientific, electrical and other exhibits. Prizes and premiums for displays are well in excess of \$100,000.



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